

FY 2023 Trailer to H747

Elective Officials Salary Increase

1. Background:

A trailer appropriation is needed to fund House Bill 747, which sets the salaries of the state constitutional officers for the next four years, and provides a onetime increase, commencing on the first Monday in January, 2023.

The salaries provided in the bill are as follows:

- Governor: \$151,400
- Lieutenant Governor: \$52,990 (35% of Governor)
- Secretary of State: \$128,690 (85% of Governor)
- State Treasurer: \$128,690 (85% of Governor)
- State Superintendent: \$128,690 (85% of Governor)
- State Controller: \$128,690 (85% of Governor)
- Attorney General: \$146,730

An additional appropriation of \$45,200 in ongoing personnel costs from the General Fund is needed to cover the salary increases and associated benefits for the final half of FY 2023 (January through June, 2023). The second half of the increase will be addressed in the FY 2024 budget to cover July through December 2023.

The bill passed the House on March 8th and has been referred to the State Affairs Committee in the Senate.

State Elective Officer	Current Salary	New Salary	FY 2023
Governor	\$138,302	\$151,400	\$7,900
Lt. Governor	\$48,406	\$52,990	\$2,800
Secretary of State	\$117,557	\$128,690	\$6,700
State Treasurer	\$117,557	\$128,690	\$6,700
State Superintendent	\$117,557	\$128,690	\$6,700
State Controller	\$117,557	\$128,690	\$6,700
Attorney General	\$134,000	\$146,730	\$7,700
		Total:	\$45,200

3. Actions:

a. Motion:

"I move for FY 2023 \$45,200 from the General Fund for the salary increases for the seven constitutional officers as provided in House Bill 747 and as shown in the table on the screen."

Attachment 1